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MEMORANDUM FOR: General Carter

SUBJECT: Item 6, Scientific and Technical Intelligence

BRIEFING NOTES FOR USIB MEETING

1. You have received memoranda from DD/I, DD/P and DD/R. Only minor problems have been raised which do not change the recommendations in the paper.

2. a. DD/I warns you that adjustments in funds and personnel will be required to implement the recommendations, and concludes that you should support the recommendations.



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c. DD/R proposes the elimination of four lines at the middle of page 13. This was carefully worded by the Coordination Staff and we feel that it is accurate and more beneficial to CIA as is. If you want to follow the DD/R suggestion, no harm will be done.

DD/R observes that if more formal action (than approval of the present wording) is deemed desirable, then he recommends a one page attachment of how to do it. I do not expect this point will be raised by other USIB members as it is unnecessary. Recommendation No. 39 of the Joint Study Group proposed, "The DOD and CIA should seek means to effect better coordination of their respective research and development activities for intelligence purposes." The status is as follows: "...The Department of Defense has taken steps to strengthen the position of the Office of the Director of Defense Research and Engineering to serve as a focal point in Defense for coordination with CIA.

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The Defense Intelligence Agency which has been assigned responsibility for developing Defense requirements for research and development for intelligence purposes, expects soon to be able to undertake this responsibility. The recent establishment of a Deputy Director for Research within CIA will provide CIA with a focal point for coordination with the Director of Defense Research and Engineering."


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